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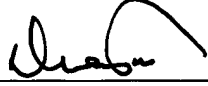
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 25, 2004. A petition for a one-month extension of time and the appropriate extension fee and claim amendment fee are submitted with this paper. However, in the event that additional fees are due, please consider this a conditional petition for further extension and/or authorization to charge such additional fees to Attorney's deposit account 20-0531.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.